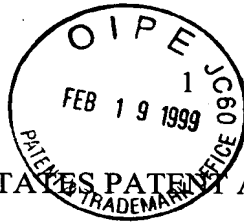


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Dear Sir:

Prior to the first Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Title:

Please delete "Heat" and substitute therefor --Thermal--.

In the Specification:

Please amend as follows:

On page 1, line 2, delete "heat" and substitute therefor --thermal--.

On page 1, line 3, delete "heat" and substitute therefor --thermal--.

On page 1, line 5, after "As for", delete "a".

On page 1, line 5, after "navigate", insert --in--.

On page 1, line 6, delete "heat" and substitute therefor --thermal--.

On page 1, line 6, delete "outside" and substitute therefor --external--.

On page 1, line 6, delete "radiating" and substitute therefor --rejection--.

On page 1, line 7, delete "heat" and substitute therefor --thermal--.

On page 1, line 8, delete "customarily" and substitute therefor

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